SEMINOLE COUNTY COMMUNITY TRAFFIC SAFETY TEAM November 24, 2009 MINUTES

Mike Blinn, SCTE
Shad Smith, SCTE
Wayne Gamble, Citizen Volunteer
Barry Wall, FDOT
Larry Wynn, TEDS for FDOT
Will Maxwell, WSPD
Ronnie Gregory, LMPD
Kris Burnham, LPD
Pete Brenenstuhl, SCSO
Ryan Bonk, ASPD
Dwayne Walker, OPD
Mark Medei, FHP
James Roark, SCPS
Scott Pleasants, CPD
Bob Cortes, Cortes Towing

Scott Pleasants called the meeting to order at 8:35 A.M. on Tuesday, November 24, 2009. The Minutes from the September 22, 2009 meeting were approved as submitted. Motion to approve was made by Wayne Gamble, second by Will Maxwell, WSPD. Introductions were waived at this meeting as there were no new attendees.

Old Business:

There was no old business to discuss.

New Business:

Representatives of Sanford PD were unavailable so Ron Gregory, LMPD, provided an update for the November 25th Saturation Operation. Briefing will be at 1430 hours and the operation will run from 1500 hours until 2300 hours.

Ryan Bonk, ASPD discussed the annual Intersection Safety Operation hosted by Altamonte Springs Police Department. This event is scheduled for Friday, December 18, 2009 at various intersections along SR 436. Ryan Bonk, ASPD will be the contact for the event and is waiting for commitments from all of the Seminole County law enforcement agencies. He can be reached at rmbonk@altmonte.orgRyan.

Traffic Fatality Report:

Mike Blinn, SCTE discussed the recent traffic fatalities which have occurred in Seminole County. The three incidents reported each involved a motorcycle and were:

- October 2 on SR 46 near old CR 415 (EB motorcycle ran a red light and was struck by vehicle making a left turn. Awaiting BAC on motorcyclist- 9:25 P.M.)
- October 2 on SR 436 at Red Bug Lake Road (Driver of vehicle #1 had a heart attack and crossed over the median striking vehicle #2 12:30 P.M.)
- October 15 on SR 46 near Hickman Drive (Pedestrian was crossing SR 46, not at a crosswalk and was struck by a vehicle travelling EB on SR 46 2:30 A.M.)

 November 4 on Red Bug Lake Road near Mark David Blvd. (EB motorcyclist at a high rate of speed lost control and struck a wall – single vehicle – 2:21 A.M.)

Of the two traffic fatalities involving a motorcycle, one of the riders was wearing a motorcycle helmet, and BAC results are not available at this time.

Traffic Fatalities in Seminole County are currently at 19 compared to 34 for the same period in 2008.

Problems & Solutions:

- 2009-06 US 17-92 @ Bush Blvd. / Tropical Trail Sign installed. Status closed.
- 2009-09 CR 427/Ronald @ Lake Mary Blvd request for prohibition of right turns at the intersection due to the close proximity of the signal recently installed at Lake Mary Blvd @ Sanford Ave.

The signal at Lake Mary Blvd @ Sanford Ave was installed within the last few months. This is still under review for a several month evaluation period.

- 2009-11 SR 400 Request for more 55 MPH Speed limit signs.
 This is currently under review to determine appropriate speeds for this stretch of roadway.
- 2009-15 Ronald Reagan Blvd. Limited line of sight issues. This project is 90% complete and making good progress. Status closed
- 2009-18 SR 434 @ Slade request for signalized intersection
 FDOT has reviewed the area and determined that signal installation is not warranted. A directional median will be considered when this portion of roadway is widened. Approximate construction date is 2013. Status closed due to no work scheduled until construction date.
- 2009-19 BJ's driveway entrance on Monroe Rd request for installation of "No Left Turn" signage at BJ's exit onto Monroe Rd.
 This is private property, however Shad Smith will look at the permit application to see if the signage is shown as a requirement for the permit and a letter will be sent to the property owner for re-installation of the signage. The possibility of placing a sign in the median area will also be evaluated.
- 2009-20 SR 434 west of Tuscawilla request for additional SL signage Sign has been installed. Status closed.
- 2009-21 SR 434 east of SR 419 request for consistency of SL signage Sign has been installed. Status closed
- 2009-22/24 Lockwood Road and McCulloch Road Evaluate pedestrian traffic This is currently under review.
- 2009-24 Alafaya Woods Blvd Dwayne Walker, OPD, is requesting 25 MPH speed limit signs to be installed. This is in Oviedo's jurisdiction and Duane was referred to the proper Oviedo city personnel.

• 2009-25 Colgate Drive Deputy Miller, SCSO, requested no parking signs be replaced. This has been completed. Status closed.

Open Forum:

Will Maxwell, WSPD, announced the Father Flanagan Motor Run which is scheduled for December 17th.

Scott Pleasants requested information concerning the grant funded IPTM schools. The schools are now being taught out of Tallahassee and are not associated with IPTM. Charlie Cane can be contacted for more information at 850-363-0528.

With no further items for discussion, the meeting adjourned at 10:15 A.M.